State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-FIFTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2000

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SENATE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. HB1086 - 2/3/00

Introduced by: Representatives Duniphan and Chicoine and Senators Ham and Reedy

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions related to the care and
- 2 maintenance of municipal cemeteries.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 9-32-20.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 9-32-20.1. If a municipality finds it necessary to acquire heavy machinery to maintain the
- 6 cemetery and to open and close graves, Any municipality may expend a portion of the perpetual
- 7 care trust fund may be used under the following conditions: if the trust fund is in the amount of
- 8 fifty thousand dollars or more, and the governing board deems it necessary to purchase heavy
- 9 machinery for the proper interment of the deceased, one thousand dollars for each five thousand
- dollars to maintain the cemetery. However, only amounts in excess of fifty thousand dollars may
- be expended to purchase heavy machinery and used for cemetery uses purposes only. The
- 12 expenditure of perpetual care trust funds as provided for in this section may only be used once
- in a seven-year period. For expenditures in excess of five thousand dollars, notice of hearing shall
- be published twice, with the second notice not less than ten days in advance of the hearing.
- 15 Section 2. That § 9-32-20.2 be repealed.
- 16 9-32-20.2. For the purposes of § 9-32-20.1, heavy machinery includes diesel or gas

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- 1 backhoes, front-end loaders and other similar machinery with the purchase price of ten thousand
- 2 dollars or greater. Heavy machinery does not include small riding lawn mowers, power rakes,
- 3 sod cutters, lawn vacuums or other similar machinery.

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1 **BILL HISTORY**

- 2 1/15/00 First read in House and referred to Local Government. H.J. 57
- 3 1/20/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.
- 4 1/20/00 Local Government Do Pass, Passed, AYES 12, NAYS 0. H.J. 172
- 5 1/24/00 House of Representatives Do Pass, Passed, AYES 62, NAYS 4. H.J. 213
- 6 1/25/00 First read in Senate and referred to Local Government. S.J. 197
- 7 2/2/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.
- 8 2/2/00 Local Government Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 7, NAYS 0. S.J. 287
- 9 2/2/00 Local Government Place on Consent Calendar.